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AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Applicants hereby submit a Substitute Specification with Abstract. The amended specification and abstract includes changing the spelling of the word "bacterocin" to "bacteriocin" and correction a typographical error in the spelling of "dimethyldisulfide" to "dimethyldisulfide." Applicants request that the Substitute Specification be used in place of the previous version of the specification as originally filed, which Applicant respectfully requests be canceled. The Substitute Specification contains no new matter in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.125(b).

For the Examiner's convenience and in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.125(c), a markedup version of the Substitute Specification is attached showing all the changes made thereto.